

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Date: 13 June 1977

TO: Admiral Turner

FROM: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: Letter from ex Peace Corps member
re Failure to Obtain CIA Employment

REMARKS:

You saw a copy of a letter to you from Mr. [REDACTED] who claimed that he had been told that there would be no problem about his employment with CIA although he had been with the Peace Corps, and therefore he says he quit his job in expectation of CIA employment.

The D/Personnel allows that [REDACTED] may have been misinformed by a recruiter, although we never gave any encouragement for him to quit his job. He has prepared a letter of response for his own signature (on the general theory that when we've made a mistake, the person responsible should admit it, and not put the burden on the DCI).

You may want to look at his proposed response. In addition, I asked that you be given an explanation of our policy regarding hiring Peace Corps, etc.--the five-year wait period--so that you would be aware of this policy should the subject arise on the Hill or with media. D/Personnel has done that on the cover sheet.